GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Social Welfare Department – The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and Rules, 1995 - Fixing the tenure of Non Official members of the District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committee as two years – Orders – Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (CV. POA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 99 **Dated: 09.12.2015**

Read the following:

1. The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.
2. The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Rules, 1995.
3. From the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P, Hyderabad, Lr.Rc. No : H1/1716/2012, Dt : 24.02.2012.
4. Government Memo No.8229/POA/2013, Dated: 17.08.2013.
5. From the Director of Social Welfare, A.P, Hyderabad, D.O.Lr.Rc.No.G1/1716 /2012 ,Dt. 10.07.2015.

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, Government have framed certain guidelines/Rules under Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989, under Rule (17) of the said Rules, the District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committee shall consist of the following Members.

1. District Magistrate /District Collector	-	Chairman
2. M.Ps / M.L.As/ M.L.Cs	-	Members
3. Superintendent of Police	-	Member
4. (3) Group (A) Officers/ Gazetted Officers of the State Govt. belonging to SC/STs	-	Members
5. Non – Officials members (05) belonging to SCs /STs	-	Members
6. (3) Members from other than SCs/STs having association with NGOs	-	Members
7. DSWO / Deputy Director(SW)	-	Member Secretary.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P, Hyderabad has requested to fix up tenure for non official Members and to fix up certain minimum criteria of eligibility for nomination of Members to the District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committee to elevate the stature of the Committee for more effective functioning and to prevent and address Atrocity cases against SCs/STs.

3. Government after careful examination of the proposal, hereby fix up the following guidelines for more effective functioning of the District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committees:

1. The tenure for non official members of the District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committee shall be two years.
2. One person should not hold the post for more than two tenures.
3. (3) Group (A) Officers / Gazetted Officers of the State Govt. belonging to SCs /STs and Non – Officials members (05) belonging to SCs /STs , (3) Members from other than SCs /STs having association with Non Government Organizations shall be selected by the District Collector concerned.

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4. The Director of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad and all the District Collectors shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. VIJAY KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.
All the District Collectors in the State.
Copy to:
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